



PATENT APPLICATION

THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Kazumasa MAKINO

Group Art Unit: 2859

Application No.: 10/811,975

Examiner: G. VERBITSKY

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Docket No.: 119306

For: IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS UNIT AND IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS
HAVING THE SAME (As Amended)

AMENDMENT FILED WITH RCE

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the May 19, 2006 Quayle Action, and in reply to the December 15, 2006
Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment, and after entry of the attached Request for Continued
Examination, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and

Remarks.